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# Arabian Sights..... 2012-01-12 The postwar honeymoon is over



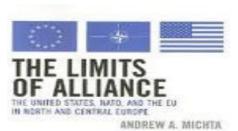
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The counterfeit culture

Through a devolving web of greed, self-serving power and a departure from fundamental ethics, Western "culture" has, over the last hundred years, become the counterfeit culture. Nothing is real anymore -- not the food, not the money, and certainly not the evening news. And because it's not real, it's not sustainable. That's why it's headed for collapse, which is all too real, as many people are about to find out. <a href="https://www.informationclearinghouse.info/article29017.htm">www.informationclearinghouse.info/article29017.htm</a>





"The Holy Triumvirate - The United States, NATO and the European Union - can do whatever it wants in the world, to whomever it wants, for as long as it wants, and call it whatever it wants, like "humanitarian". William Blum: Libya And The World We Live In

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The European Problem...The intrigue is at its height

The European problem is going to spread from the original six that includes Italy and Spain to Austria and then to France. That \$1 trillion swap was the temporary fix, but what do you do for an encore? Use fractional banking of course. Bob Chapman <a href="http://www.informationclearinghouse.info/article30219.htm">http://www.informationclearinghouse.info/article30219.htm</a>



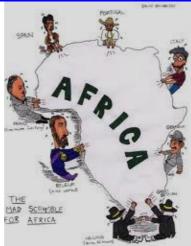
America...a dying, decadent and disobedient society.

America's "victories" with the apparent destruction of Libya and the killing of Al-Qaeda leader Osama Bin Laden aren't signs of a resurgent nation or a renewed acceptance of "American values". They are simply signs of an end of life rally by a dying, decadent and disobedient society.

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## Junious Ricardo Stanton - The theft of African wealth

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Once while I was giving a talk about Africa to a group of adolescent African-American males, a young brother asked, "If Africa is so rich in natural resources, why do the people look so poor and starving?"

Due to time constraints I didn't have enough minutes to explain why, aside from racist anti-Afrikan stereotyping, the mass media deliberately depict Afrikans as underdeveloped, destitute, backward, diseased and staving. I didn't have time to tell them about the Berlin Conference of 1884 in which 14 nations in Europe and the United States sat around a large table and carved up the continent, conspiring to shanghai its riches, its natural and human resources and plotting to appropriate them for their benefit...

We don't question how Europe went from being a backward, starving, disease ridden and destitute subcontinent without resources to commandeering most of the world's wealth, while Afrika went from being the cradle of civilization with most of the goldrich lands and mineral resources to being a vast expanse of arrested social and technological development?...

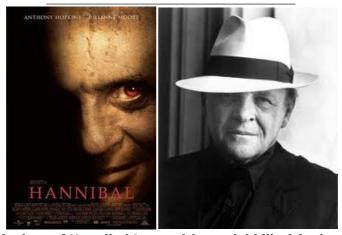
We don't grasp the correlation between European military and political ascendancy, its wealth and Afrikan

subjugation. We've been duped into believing Europeans have a higher standard of living because they are smarter and work harder, rather than realizing Europeans are where they are today because of their history of covetousness, imperialism, larceny and rapine.

The so-called age of exploration wasn't a time of scientific investigation, mutually beneficial ethnic, racial and cultural relations or exchange. The whites made out like the bandits they were and still are.

Even before the industrial and technological revolutions, European imperialism colonialism created wealth-generating opportunities and improved the quality of life throughout Europe while simultaneously introducing disease, social disruption, death and ecological and trade unbalances everywhere they set foot on planet Earth. This was true no matter which European nation was involved.

Not to mention how the whites forced or attempted to force the indigenous inhabitants of the lands they invaded - or the millions they kidnapped or bartered for - around the globe to work for little or nothing to enrich the mother countries..."



The socio—cultural equivalent of Hannibal Lecter (the serial killer) is the core of an expansionist European "civilization" which has reached out to engulf the planet

"...At this juncture, **the entire planet** is locked, figuratively, in a room with the socio—cultural equivalent of Hannibal Lecter.

An individual of consummate taste and refinement, imbued with indelible grace and charm, he distracts his victims ..., even while honing his blade. He is thus able to dine alone upon their livers, his feast invariably candlelit, accompanied by lofty music and a fine wine. Over and over the ritual is repeated, always hidden, always denied in order that it may be continued.

So perfect is Lecter's pathology that, from the depths of his scorn for the inferiors upon whom he feeds, he advances himself as their sage and therapist, he who is incomparably endowed with the ability to explain their innermost meanings, he professes to be their savior. His success depends upon being embraced and exalted by those upon whom he preys.

Ultimately, so long as Lecter is able to retain his mask of omnipotent gentility, he can never be stopped. The socio—cultural equivalent of Hannibal Lecter is the core of an expansionist European "civilization" which has reached out to engulf the planet.

In coming to grips with Lecter, it is of no useful purpose to engage in sympathetic biography, to chronicle the nuances of his childhood, and catalogue his many and varied achievements, whether real or imagined. The recounting of such information is at best diversionary, allowing him to remain at large just that much longer. More often, it inadvertently serves to perfect his mask, enabling him not only to maintain his enterprise, but to pursue it with ever more arrogance and efficiency. At worst, the biographer is aware of the intrinsic evil lurking beneath the subject's veneer of civility, butbecause of morbid fascination and a desire to participate vicariously-deliberately obfuscates the truth in order that his homicidal activities may continue unchecked. The biographer thus reveals not only a willing complicity in the subject's crimes, but a virulent pathology of his or her own. Such is and has always been the relationship of "responsible scholarship" to expansionist Europe and its derivative societies.

**The sole** legitimate function of information compiled about Lecter is that which will serve to **unmask** him and thereby lead to his apprehension.

The purpose of apprehension is not to visit retribution upon the psychopath-he is, after all, by definition mentally ill and consequently not in control of his more lethal impulses-but to put an end to his activities. It is even theoretically possible that, once he is disempowered, he can be cured. The point, however, is to understand what he is and what he does well enough to stop him from doing it.

This is the role which must be assumed by scholarship vis—à—vis **Eurosupremacy**, if scholarship itself is to have any positive and constructive meaning. Scholarship is never "neutral" or "objective"; it always works either for the psychopath or against him, to mystify socio—cultural reality or to decode it, to make corrective action possible or to prevent it.

It may well be that there are better points of departure for intellectual endeavors to capture the real form and meaning of Eurocentrism than the life, times, and legacy of Christopher Columbus. Still, Eurocentrists the world over have so evidently clasped hands in utilizing him as a (perhaps the) preeminent signifier of their collective heritage, and are doing so with such an apparent sense of collective jubilation, the point has been rendered effectively moot. Those who seek to devote their scholarship to apprehending the psychopath who sits in our room thus have no alternative but to use him as a primary vehicle of articulation. In order to do so, we must approach him [Columbus] through deployment of the analytical tools which allow him to be utilized as a medium of explanation, a lens by which to shed light upon phenomena such as the mass psychologies of fascism and racism, a means by which to shear Eurocentrism of its camouflage, exposing its true contours, revealing the enduring coherence of the dynamics which forged its 'evolution'.

Perhaps through such efforts we can begin to genuinely comprehend the seemingly incomprehensible fact that so many groups are presently queuing up to associate themselves with a man from whose very memory wafts the cloying stench of tyranny and genocide. From there, it may be possible to at last crack the real codes of meaning underlying the sentiments of the Nuremberg rallies, those spectacles on the plazas of Rome during which fealty was pledged to Mussolini, and that amazing red—white—and—blue, tie—a—yellow—ribbon frenzy gripping the U.S. public much more lately.

If we force ourselves to see things clearly, we can understand. If we can understand, we can apprehend. If we can apprehend, perhaps we can stop the psychopath before he kills again. We are obligated to try, from a sense of sheer self—preservation, if nothing else. Who knows, we may even succeed. But first we must stop lying to ourselves, or allowing others to do the lying for us, about who it is with whom we now share our room.

Ward Churchill - Deconstructing the Columbus Myth - <a href="http://www.uctp.org?ColumbusMyth.html">http://www.uctp.org?ColumbusMyth.html</a>

On Sat, Jan 21, 2012 at 8:19 AM, Fredrick Toben <a href="toben@toben.biz">toben@toben.biz</a> wrote:

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Illumination coming from Jerusalem Post?

### UK accuses Argentina of 'colonialism' over Falklands. By REUTERS, 01/18/2012 20:12

LONDON - Britain accused Argentina of "colonialism" in its claim to the Falkland Islands on Wednesday, as the 30th anniversary of their conflict over the British-ruled territory approaches.

A day after Britain's National Security Council discussed the Falklands' defenses, Prime Minister David Cameron told parliament Britain was committed to protecting the South Atlantic islands and added that people there should be allowed to decide their own nationality.

Cameron said he was determined that the islands' defenses were in order and that islanders' wishes were paramount. "We support the Falkland islanders' right to self-determination," he said.

"What the Argentinians have been saying recently I would argue is actually far more like colonialism because these people want to remain British and the Argentinians want them to do something else."

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From: John Kaminski <u>pseudoskylax@gmail.com</u> Sent: Sunday, 22 January 2012 12:36 AM

To: Fredrick Toben
Subject: Re: Of interest?

Britain accusing anyone of colonialism is quite annoying. Jewish colonization of the southern Andes has been going on for more than 20 years. I heard a firsthand account in 1990 and Kawther Salam wrote an interesting piece about it several years ago.

But it's happening everywhere. I wrote a story called "The Stain" years back. Interesting, it doesn't turn up on Google like most of the others do. Must be one of those pieces lost in a dead computer.

# Patagonia In Danger!

## By Adrian Salbuchi, 1-7-11

Question: Patagonia? What's that? Answer: Patagonia is the vast, immensely rich, sparsely populated far-away-from-everything southern part of South America, stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific Oceans, through the ranges of the Andes Mountains. Shared by Argentina and Chile, Patagonia has for over a century been a discrete target of the Global Power Elite, earmarked as their future "safe haven"... just in case...

As we look at the mess they've made of today's world that "future" may now be just around the corner. Spearheaded by the International Zionist Movement, this quiet take-over of Patagonia has progressed dramatically in recent years; not through war and invasion, but through territorial acquisitions, economic infiltration, Israeli military fifth columns, global media support and geopolitical positioning.

Last week a furore erupted in Chile after a roaming group of Israeli "backpacker hikers" ¬ "mochileros" as they are called here ¬ set fire to 130 sq. kms. of virgin forest in the Torres del Paine National Park in Patagonia. The culprit? One Rotem Singer, who was "roaming Patagonia" with other Israeli "hikers". They insisted in declarations on Israeli Army Radio that they are innocent. Chilean authorities however, arrested him, and even Chilean president Piñera voiced his concern.

Why so much worry? For decades, young Israeli military officers camouflaged as hikers and backpackers have been surveying, mapping, and snooping around this vast, rich and under-populated region; plotting, planning... preparing their future?

This is nothing new. 36 years back, on 5th January 1986, Argentina's main newspaper — the traditional, prestigious and conservative "La Nación" - published an

article with the title, "Studies are Underway for the Settlement of a Jewish Colony in Santa Cruz Province" quoting Israelis surveying the area as saying 'this is a project we have carefully nourished for a long time(we are) carrying out surveys, studying the local climate, vegetation and animals, and the potential wealth of the area."

For decades, Israelis have systematically "roamed" throughout this region thanks to the extreme laxity of Argentina's successive governments, all extremely permeable and bowing down to Zionist influence, as evidenced in September 2003 when then Argentine Army Chief General Roberto Bendini was forced out by a media scandal spearheaded by the local militant Zionist lobby "DAIA" (Delegation of Israeli Associations in Argentina) after Bendini expressed concern over these Israeli officers posing as "innocent hikers". Again "La Nación" newspaper (30-Sept-2003) explained that "there is no doubt that there are Israelis all over the Patagonia. They move around in groups, they are young, speak in Hebrew amongst themselves. A good number of them come from the military. They have just taken off their Israeli Army uniform; they are twenty-something year old youths taking their vacations after leaving the Israeli Army..."

So, there is understandable cause for concern amongst Argentines and Chileans. Especially when you consider that International Zionism's founding father, Theodor Herzl, writing way back in 1896 in his seminal book "The Jewish State" (in a chapter with the very significant title, "Palestine or Argentine?") things like "Which shall we choose, Palestine or Argentine? Argentina is, by its nature, one of the richest countries in Earth, with an immense territory, scarce population

and moderate climate. The Argentine Republic would have the greatest Interest to cede to us a part of its territory"

Let's fast-forward to 2002 when, as we reported in a recent RT article, Argentina collapsed into its worst financial crises and the staunchly Zionist New York Times suggested the country should sell off Patagonia to pay its Sovereign Debt...

And then we have people like Eduardo Elsztain, Argentina's largest landowner, who "happens to be" local partner of Jewish-American-Hungarian real estate magnate and speculator George Soros (of Zionist Council of Foreign Relations and Trilateral Commission fame). Elsztain owns huge tracts of land throughout Patagonia and also "happens" to be CEO of the World Jewish Congress and an active militant in the Zionist Jewish Jabad Lubavitch Movement.

Elsztain is not alone in gobbling up millions of hectares of Argentine land using his billions and billions in Money Power. He informally partners with Carlo and Luciano Benetton, Ted Turner of CNN and TNT, Douglas Tomkins (US "eco-billionaire" targeting Chile), Joseph Lewis ¬ (British owner of Planet Hollywood), Daniel Lerner of Walt Disney Enterprises, Ward Lay of potato chip fame, and even Bush's former treasury secretary and Goldman Sachs CEO Henry Paulson through the NGO The Nature Conservancy.

But Zionists are not alone in this. The London "Telegraph" just headlined an article on 2nd January recommending that "a nuclear submarine should be sent to the Falkland Islands (just off Patagonia) to illustrate Britain's anger at a decision by South American countries to ban boats bearing the island's flag". adding "Britain should undertake military exercises in response to the "aggressive" decision by the Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay to close ports to ships flying the "illegal" flag of the Falkland Islands", occupied by Britain since 1833 and converted into a powerful nuclear military base after the 1982 Falkland-Malvinas War pitting Argentina and the UK.

The Telegraph concludes by saying "no one should be in any doubt about the British Government's commitment to support the area, which involves a vast swathe of potentially mineral-rich South Atlantic waters."

Need we remind readers that Britain has been and is a fundamental cogwheel in the Zionist movement ever since its 1917 "Balfour Declaration" paved the road leading to the violent creation of Israel in 1948 by the well-financed terror organizations Irgun Zvai Leumi, Stern and Hagganah?

Are the Elites getting ready to take over Patagonia for good?

One thing is certain, neither Argentina, nor Chile, nor any country in South America wants to see Patagonia turned into a new Palestine. The world has seen sufficient Zionist terrorism in that martyred land.

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The fact is the Falklands were UNINHABITED & just sat there & the English took control of them. Since Argentina had failed to colonize the isalnds, much like Mexico had failed to do so with Texas, it is THEIR fault & Englands gain. Had England not colonized the islands, they would still be uninhabited and useless; this is all very Latin: The south of Chile was forbidding territory and required herculean efforts to civilize. Chilean settlers REFUSED to go and it was left up to Germans from the Fulda region - deliberately imported under FALSE pretenses! – to turn this southern land into the paradise it is. England has built a viable community there, English is the language of the land whereas the Argentinians have done NOTHING; they even botched the 'war'. Their performance was a military and national disgrace; it seems an English volunteer firebrigade would have beaten the hell out their `army', plagued by massive corruption, incompetent leadership and everything else which sounds World-War-Two-Italian. The Argentine soldiers lacked warm clothing, proper training, ammunition and food while the officers in charge of supplies were literally living high-off-thehog embezzling everything they could lay their hands on. The main miltary harbor of Argentine was occupied by a latest-model German submarine which never left its berth. Why? Because the Argentine crew did not know how to operate the vessel! The ONLY success registered was the sinking of an English ship - which was acccidental. The missile happened to hit the galley of the ship causing a grease-fire to spread rapidly. A few years ago, the Argentinians send several boatloads of soldiers to southern Patagonia to occupy Chilean territory. Half way down, the ships returned to post. Why? The Argentinian troops had gotten so seasick, the operation had to be called off.

## **Carlyon:**

## Assange - Sinner or saint?

By: Patrick Carlyon, The Advertiser, January 07, 2012 12:00AM



WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange. Pictue: AP Photo/Lefteris Pitarakis Source: AP

JULIAN Assange, perhaps the world's most famous Australian, has been under house arrest for 12 months.

Melbourne broadcaster Derryn Hinch, who should know, has said such sentences are far more demoralising than expected, and Assange has said he never could live in one place. This may explain the growing perception Assange looks and sounds more spooked than ever.

His case is even more confusing than that of the other Human Headline. Assange has spent years sneaking about the world, brandishing a laptop and preaching truth as the new gospel. He has sprung more leaks than the Titanic. Now he is cooped up without charge. That his prison happens to be an English mansion is one of the simpler paradoxes of his tale.

Swedish allegations of rape against Assange sound unlikely to have placed Assange in a courtroom under Australian laws. The sideshow may say more about Swedish law than Assange's habits.

US authorities seek to match him to crimes for his wholesale releases of secret documents - their frenzy a tribute to that old line about trying to nail jelly to a wall.

Yet those who seek to anoint Assange as a hero may struggle with a task just as messy. Deeds may be the highest measure, but motives matter, too. Assange, a former computer hacker, is a puzzle. Transparency is his stated goal, yet troublemaking is his nature.

Does Assange's detention make him a martyr? A highprofile list of Australian signatories seem to think so. They have petitioned Minister for Foreign Affairs Kevin Rudd to tell the US we will not tolerate manufactured charges against an Aussie. We should condemn Assange's extradition should the US invoke "temporary surrender" provisions.

These are fair points. Assange, as with any other Australian, shouldn't be detained at length without charge - although, then again, nor should have the Bali boy busted with a little bag of marijuana.

American politicians have called Assange a terrorist. There have been calls for his murder. Such suggestions

are plainly outrageous, as was a clumsy "illegal" label applied by Prime Minister Julia Gillard.

The petition is premised on Assange being treated as a journalist. His Wikileaks revelations are unmatched for breadth, insight and embarrassment factor in international affairs.

He has attained whole truths that the rest of us, as journalists, rarely do, through a rather brilliant pinch-and-publish philosophy. He has shifted battlelines. For the first time, perhaps, the nexus between the truth and the public interest has become smudged. Some Wikileaks releases are a reminder certain secrets are better unpublished, a counterintuitive notion that journalists don't often confront.

What Assange is or is not will be debated for years. Even his confidants don't have a fix on him. If he is a journalist, he is the first to have someone else write his autobiography. The book itself points to his oddness - who has an "unauthorised" autobiography?

His fallout with his publisher points to another constant: Assange always falls out with people.

Maybe that's the price of truth, as he constantly says. Or maybe it's a clue to a less satisfying truth: if Assange is a hero, he may be as muddled as Graham Greene's whiskey priest, who committed to his calling despite his own failings and in the face of wickedness.

Wikileaks exposed civilian killings by a US chopper in Iraq. It showed climate change scientists diddling numbers and the dark farce of Scientology. Yet the gush of revelations hasn't always garnered unconditional support.

Former US vice-presidential candidate Sarah Palin may be thoroughly unaccomplished, but her private emails shouldn't have been published. Recently, an Ethiopian journalist fled the country after his name popped up in an uncensored Wikileaks release. He felt threatened when authorities, as a result, made inquiries.

Supporters say Wikileaks has had no dire consequences for individuals or nations. This may be more about luck than design.

Assange himself doesn't much talk about consequences. He seems oddly unmoved by the details of his leaks. His passions run wildest when he attacks various powers for his stranded state.

His appeal is obvious enough - small versus big, campaigner versus the empire. We don't trust governments and his works feeds our scepticism. He has made the powerful look weak. He puts backroom deals on newspaper front pages. Why does he do it? Whistleblowers usually emerge for two main reasons - money or conscience. Assange is oddly removed from either.

His white hair and the eerie calm seem straight out of central casting. His mystery could apply equally to a goodie or baddie. He thinks secrets are there to be exposed, yet has offered only fragments of his own story.

"When you watch the footage of him recently, he's waving to the crowd almost like a monarch does," psychologist Tim Watson-Munro says. He ascribes to Assange an extraordinary intelligence and a "rock star" quality driven, perhaps, by a dollop of narcissism.

Decades ago, Watson-Munro was involved in a court case in which Assange pleaded guilty to computer hacking charges. Hackers, he says, often hack for no grander reason than they can.

"What drives Assange?" he asks. "I don't know."
Perhaps a well-guided or misguided belief that in some way he is assisting humanity. He thrives on the

attention. If he's trying to improve the lot of the world then, paradoxically, he may have set the course back somewhat."

Maybe Ms Gillard got as close as anyone else when she described the Wikileaks releases as "anarchic".

Assange's acceptance speech at the Walkley Awards in November seemed more about petulance than principles. The rant about Gillard wanting Obama's job didn't make sense.

The imagery released the spectre of Peter Garrett, once a rock star with the Messianic bearing. Garrett now is just another politician.

Let's hope Assange isn't already going the same way.

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## **Iran**

# The boys who cry "Holocaust"

The same neocon hawks who lied us into Iraq are using the ultimate argument-stopper to push war with Iran





Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and neonconservative William Kristol - Reuters/Gage Skidmore

We've been through this before. As one of the most disastrous wars in our history is coming to an inglorious end, the same neoconservative hawks who dreamed it up are agitating for a new war that would make Iraq look like the invasion of

Grenada — and using the ultimate trump card in American politics to silence debate over it.

When hawks begin beating the drums for war in the Middle East, Israel is usually a big reason why. That was true in the run-up to the war in Iraq, and it is doubly true with the

current hysteria over Iran. Despite disingenuous claims to the contrary, the only reason the U.S. is even talking about war with Iran is Israel. As the invaluable M.J. Rosenberg, who knows the working of the Israel lobby as only a former card-carrying member can, notes, "It is impossible to find a single politician or journalist advocating war with Iran who is not a neocon or an AIPAC cutout. (They're often both.)"

Ever since the International Atomic Energy Agency released its <u>overhyped</u>, old-news report on Iran's nuclear program, Israel's amen corner in the U.S. has been loudly calling for war.

If American politics did not contain an enormous blind spot, no one would pay any attention to what these discredited ideologues have to say. The Iraq war they championed turned out to be one of the biggest foreign-policy disasters in U.S. history. Their ignorant and Islamophobic view of the Middle East is as breathtaking as their bland willingness to commit America to yet another ruinous war against a Muslim country, this time one four times larger than Iraq and with more than twice as many people. They have a demonstrated track record of complete failure.

Yet these incompetent militarists are still taken seriously. And the reason is simple: They purport to be supporters of Israel. In American politics, you can get away with even the most cracked war-mongering as long as you claim to be "pro-Israel." And the ultimate get-out-of-jail-free card for anything having to do with Israel is the Holocaust.

To listen to the neocons and hawks, you'd think Hitler was about to send the tanks over the Polish border. Former U.S. ambassador and Dr. Strangelove impersonator John Bolton said, "The only alternative now is the potential for a pre-emptive military strike against their military program, either by the United States or Israel. Diplomacy has failed. Sanctions have failed." For Bolton, Iran is the second coming of Nazi Germany: "If the choice is them continuing [towards a nuclear bomb] or the use of force, I think you're at a Hitler marching into the Rhineland point ... We're still in 1936, but not for long."

Jeffrey Goldberg, the former Israeli Defense Forces corporal and Atlantic writer, whose bogus claim in the New Yorker that Saddam Hussein might give his nonexistent WMD to al-Qaida helped convince some liberals to support the Iraq war, claims, "The Israeli case for preemption is compelling, and has been for some time."

Why? "The leaders of Iran are eliminationist anti-Semites; men who, for reasons of theology, view the state of the Jews as a 'cancer.' They have repeatedly called for Israel's destruction and worked to hasten that end, mainly by providing material support and training to two organizations, Hamas and Hezbollah, that specialize in the slaughter of innocent Jews. Iran's leaders are men who deny the Holocaust while promising another."

Goldberg acknowledged the downside for Israel of attacking Iran, including international isolation and retaliation, but for him that was a reason why America, not Israel, should threaten war.

"Numerous Israeli officials have told me that they are much less likely to recommend a preemptive strike of their own if they were reasonably sure that Obama was willing to use force. And if Iran's leaders feared there was a real chance of a U.S. attack, they might actually modify their behavior," Goldberg wrote. "I believe Obama would use force — and that he should make that perfectly clear to the Iranians."

Neoconservative leader Bill Kristol, who was wrong about Iraq and was rewarded by being given a gig at the New York Times, where he quickly proved to be perhaps the worst columnist of

all time, wrote in the Weekly Standard, "The next speech we need to hear from the Obama administration should announce that, after 30 years, we have gone on the offensive against this murderous regime. And the speech after that can celebrate the fall of the regime, and offer American help to the democrats building a free and peaceful Iran." In 2009, Kristol compared Obama to Neville Chamberlain for not being sufficiently outspoken on behalf of the Iranian people.

#### The Holocaust mind-set

But the most nakedly coercive use of the Holocaust was made by GOP presidential candidate Newt Gingrich (whose trustworthiness in foreign policy matters can be judged by the he criticized the that Bush State Department for not cooking its intelligence to support the Iraq war). "I don't think the United States has the moral right to say to a country whose people who have already gone through one nuclear Holocaust two weapons is Holocaust," said in 2006. "And Iran is racing to arm itself with atomic bombs." In language virtually identical to Goldberg's, Netanyahu said that while the Iranian president "denies the Holocaust, he is preparing another Holocaust for the Jewish state."

"We will always remember what the Nazi Amalek did to us," Netanyahu said at a 2010 Holocaust remembrance service at Auschwitz, "and we won't forget to be prepared for the new Amalek, who is making an appearance on the stage of history and once again threatening to destroy the Jews."

The Holocaust mind-set has led Israel into self-destructive policies. And its promiscuous invocation has helped ensure that Israel maintains a stranglehold over America's Mideast policy. That stranglehold has always been harmful to America, but it is now actually dangerous.

For there is a very real possibility that Israel will attack Iran. I have been reading Israel's best newspaper, Ha'aretz, for more than 10 years, and I have never seen a possible war with Iran taken so seriously by its journalists. Ha'aretz is a left-leaning paper, but the concern in Israel reaches across the political spectrum. Israel's leading political columnist, Nahum Barnea, recently warned in a front-page story in Israel's highest-circulation newspaper, the centrist Yediot Achronot, that Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Defense Secretary Ehud Barak, overriding the objections of their security experts, may launch an attack on Iran this winter.

Barnea's article is in Hebrew: it is <u>summarized by Larry Derfner</u>, who writes for the excellent Israeli-American site <u>972</u>. Barnea wrote, "Netanyahu [believes] Ahmadinejad is Hitler; if he is not stopped in time, there will be another Holocaust. There are those who describe Netanyahu's attitude on the matter as an obsession: all his life he dreamed of being Churchill; Iran gives him the opportunity."

#### The odds of war

To be sure, the odds are still against Israel actually launching an attack. Washington has made it clear it does not want war with Iran, and the first rule of Israeli politics is "never threaten the special relationship with America." Israel has been warning that Iran is months away from getting a nuclear bomb for years. And it has a history of rattling its saber as a tactic to force the U.S. to take a harder line with Iran.

But the possibility that Israel might attack Iran, especially after the U.S. troops leave Iraq, cannot be taken lightly — not least because of Netanyahu's invocation of the Holocaust. Netanyahu is apparently sincerely convinced that if Iran's nuclear program is not destroyed, Israel will face another Holocaust. If that is true, the traditional restraints on Israeli behavior may not apply.

It is possible that Israel might attack Iran unilaterally, and dare the U.S. to stop it. As Iran analyst Mark Fitzpatrick told Reuters, "When you consider that next year being the U.S. presidential election year, and the dynamics of politics in the United States, this could increase Israel's inclination to take matters into its own hands. The most likely possibility is that Netanyahu calls up Obama and says: 'I'm not asking for a green light, I'm just telling you that we've just launched the planes, don't shoot them down.' And in a U.S. presidential election year, I think it's unlikely that Obama would shoot them down."

The Israeli historian Benny Morris makes the same point.

"Most observers in Israel believe that while Israel would like to have a green light from Washington, it will proceed without one if it believes that its existence is at stake," he wrote in the National Interest. "The feeling here is that Obama will endorse, and perhaps in various ways assist, an Israeli strike once it is underway — whether or not he is consulted beforehand — because he sees the ayatollahs' regime as a threat to world peace and American interests in the Middle East; because successive American administrations, including his own, have declared that Washington will not to allow Iran to acquire the bomb; and because, in a presidential election year, Obama cannot afford to alienate the Jewish vote."

Morris' assertion that Obama would be willing to endorse and perhaps assist an Israeli strike because he believes it is justified is extremely dubious, to put it mildly. Obama's Middle East policies have been hugely disappointing, but he is not a fool. He knows that Iran — which has not started a war in modern history — poses no conceivable military threat to the United States. He also knows that the Arab Spring and the crisis in Syria have weakened Tehran's geo-strategic position. There is also the little issue of America being bankrupt and its military exhausted. For all these reasons, for Washington to even consider starting a war with Iran would be utter lunacy. This is why Obama has repeatedly sent Netanyahu high-level messages, from Defense Secretary Leon Panetta and others, warning him not to launch a unilateral attack.

But starting a war is one thing, and daring to stand up to Israel in an election year is another. As usual, the discourse is tilted psychotically to the right. The GOP presidential candidates are beating up Obama for his alleged lack of support for Israel and falling over each other to be first in line to attack Iran. (Mitt Romney, who stands a decent chance of being the next president, actually said that he would simply let Israel decide America's Mideast policy.) And considering Obama's politically driven surrender to Netanyahu, Morris and Fitzpatrick are probably right that he would be unwilling to confront the Israeli leader.

In other words, it is quite likely that the most powerful nation in the world will simply stand impotently by while a tiny client state threatens to do something that it knows is not just antithetical to its interests, but possibly ruinous to them. The tail could be about to wag the dog right off a cliff.

If war does break out, the consequences for America would be catastrophic. Oil prices would soar, plunging the U.S. and the world into a massive depression. Iran would use its proxies to attack U.S. troops. And the entire region would erupt, with unforeseeable consequences. It is not too much of a stretch to say that war with Iran might spell the beginning of the end of America as a superpower.

Of course, if a nuclear Iran really did threaten the existence of Israel, a preemptive strike might be justified. But according to the upper echelons of Israeli's military and security brass, Iran does not pose such a threat. Israel's recently retired Mossad

chief, Meir Dagan, called plans to attack Iran "the stupidest thing I've ever heard," saying that an attack would mean a regional war that would put Israel in an "impossible" position. Israel's former military chief of staff, Gabe Ashkenazi, is also opposed to war, as is former Shin Beth head Yuval Diskin. Another former Mossad chief, Ephraim Halevy, said Iran poses no existential threat to Israel and attacking it "will impact the region for 100 years."

If Iran were to launch a nuclear missile at Israel, Israel would instantly vaporize it with the estimated 200 nuclear warheads it possesses. Contrary to the ignorant claims made by Islamophobic hawks like Goldberg, Iran is not run by madmen bent on committing national suicide. (If its leaders really are "eliminationist anti-Semites," it's hard to understand why they have not wiped out <a href="Tehran's Jewish community">Tehran's Jewish community</a>.)

In fact, the logic behind attacking Iran is identical to that of Dick Cheney's notorious "one percent doctrine," which held that if there was even a 1 percent chance that Iraq might acquire WMD, the U.S. had to attack. Cheney's crackpot doctrine has been thoroughly discredited. But because the supposed 1 percent possibility is another Holocaust, it is once again framing American policy.

What a nuclear Iran really threatens, as several top Israeli officials have admitted, is Israeli hegemony in the region. The Arab Spring and the rise of Turkey have already begun to erode that hegemony, and Iran's inevitable acquisition of the ability to build a bomb will further erode it. Israel cannot fight this trend. The days when it could impose its will by bullying are over. It must learn to live with its neighbors.

Which takes us to the one thing that is anathema to the warmongers: full diplomatic engagement with Tehran. It is time for the U.S. to put everything on the table – Hamas, Hezbollah, Syria, the Israeli-Palestinian file, the nuclear issue, Iraq – thrash it all out, acknowledge that Iran is going to be a major regional player, and come to an agreement.

The key element is the Israeli-Palestinian issue. If Israel makes a just peace with the Palestinians and the Arab League recognizes Israel, the entire raison d'etre of Iran's rejectionist position would be removed. Israel and Iran would then just be neighbors squabbling over their turf, along with the rest of the countries in the rapidly transforming Middle East.

Israel stands at a crossroads — and time is not on its side. Netanyahu is a disciple of the father of Revisionist Zionism, Ze'ev Jabotinsky, who <u>argued</u> that the Arabs, understandably in his view, would never voluntarily accept Zionist colonization, and could only be controlled by an "Iron Wall the native population cannot break through."

Netanyahu lacks Jabotinsky's intellectual integrity, but shares his belief that brute force is Israel's only recourse. For him, it is always 1938, the Palestinians are terrorists, Israel's enemies are murderous anti-Semites and the Jewish state must exist in a constant state of war.

Israel, supported by the United States, has been fighting the Nazis for 63 years. That Iron Wall approach, which sees all of Israel's enemies as reincarnations of Hitler (as in Jeffrey Goldberg's propagandistic assertion that <a href="Hezbollah">Hezbollah</a> and <a href="Hamas">Hamas</a> "specialize in the slaughter of innocent Jews") has been a calamitous failure. It has not made Israel safer. As even center-right Israeli politicians like Tzipi Livni now <a href="recognize">recognize</a>, it has resulted in Israel becoming increasingly isolated from the world, much of which now sees it as a <a href="pariable.">pariah</a>.

And Israel will not be given another 63 years. If it continues down this path, aided by its false "friends" in the U.S. who insist on fighting Hitler-redux to the last Israeli (and the last

American), Israel is doomed. But if it abandons its self-defeating Holocaustology, it will be able to live in peace with its neighbors and join the world.

From the founding of Israel in the ashes of the Final Solution, the Holocaust has been at the core of Israel's national identity. That identity is affirmed every year, when at 10 in the morning, sirens are sounded for two minutes throughout Israel to commemorate the Holocaust. During those two minutes, everything comes to a standstill. Even the traffic on the road stops.

It is understandable that a people who suffered one of the most horrific genocides in human history would commemorate it, and vow never to allow it to happen again. But history is filled with ugly ironies, and sometimes the reaction to a trauma ensures that it keeps happening again.

A young Polish Jew named <u>Ruth Grunkraut</u> and her mother were shipped to Bergen-Belsen. Grunkraut's mother died just six days before the Allies liberated the camp. Before she died, she told her daughter, "You must live. You must live for me."

The annals of the Holocaust are filled with this same message: You must live.

An attack on Iran will be carried out in the name of the victims of the Holocaust. But that attack, rather than saving the Jewish state, will sound the death knell for it. Israel and its American supporters owe more to the millions of human beings whose last prayer, before their deaths, was that their children live.

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# Obama, Israel's houseboy, names Elie Wiesel to U.S. Holocaust Council



Why do we have a United States Holocaust Memorial Council, anyway?

This story may seem "old news" as I didn't get around to posting it when I first saw it. The appointments by the White House took place on Oct. 29. It is still important news, though, as a way of explaining just what is the US Holocaust Memorial Council. I did not know, and knowing what it is helps us to realize just how big an investment the U.S. Government has made in keeping "the Holocaust" alive and kicking in the minds of Americans and foreign visitors to Washington, DC. So here goes ...

The United States Holocaust Memorial Council is the governing body of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. Did you know that the USHMM, as it's known, is a project of the U.S. Government? That's important to know. The Council alone consists of **55** presidential appointees, in addition to ten Congressional representatives and three ex-officio members from the Departments of Education, Interior, and State. That adds up to 65 high-level persons who all get paid by the taxpayers, in one way or another, for "serving" on this Council.

Of the five new Council members, four are Jews. Not only Jews, but they are very active in "holocaust"

promotion and other causes solely for Jews. The first is Wiesel, who I think has been a member from the beginning, as he was its Founding Chairman in 1980, appointed by Democrat Jimmy Carter. At that time, Wiesel attempted to sell the idea by writing to Carter that Holocaust activists aim to use the commission (set up to create the museum) to "reach and transform as many human beings as possible. We hope to share our conviction that when war and genocide unleash hatred against any one people or peoples, all are ultimately engulfed in the fire." Of course, this is never applied to Israel, or even the U.S., which proves the hypocrisy of the "remembrance" campaigns of the Jews. The other appointees are:

**Joseph D. Gutman**, who is on the executive committee of Birthright Israel and has held leadership roles with the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago and the Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC).

Roman R. Kent, born in Lodz, Poland (so we know his name is not really Kent) and serves as Chairman of the American Gathering of Jewish Holocaust Survivors and Their Descendants, is President of the Jewish Foundation for the Righteous and of the International Auschwitz Committee, and is Treasurer of the Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany. Howard D. Unger, an investment banker, the son of a Holocaust survivor, a member of the Committee on Conscience — the Museum's genocide prevention initiative, and serves on the board of the Holocaust and Human Rights Education Center.

Clemantine Wamariya, a friend of Elie Wiesel, who "survived" the 1994 genocide in Rwanda and now lives in Kenilworth, IL (a very upscale suburb of Chicago). She began speaking about her experiences on the Oprah Winfrey Show in 2005 and has shared her story at Museum events around the country. Currently an undergraduate at Yale University, she is involved in the Yale Refugee Project, which works closely with New Haven's Integrated Refugee and Immigrant Services.

It's apparent that each of these persons has a personal investment in keeping holocaust propaganda in the

news and appearing timely. They are not objective and don't balance each other out. However, President Obama said of his appointments: "These fine public servants bring both a depth of experience and tremendous dedication to their new roles [...] Our nation will be well-served by these men and women, and I look forward to working with them in the months and years to come."

# U.S. Holocaust Museum and Memorial Council are overwhelmingly Jewish operations

Some of the other newer members of the Council, appointed in June, are Nancy B. Gilbert (Jewish activist), Deborah E. Lipstadt (Jewish activist & author) and Marc R. Stanley (Jewish activist). Members of Congress who serve on the Council are Gabriele Gifford (Jewish, AZ), Patrick Grimm (RC, NY and Brooklynborn), Nan Hayworth (NY), Pat Meehan (RC, PA), Henry Waxman (Jewish, CA). From the Senate: Richard Durbin (RC, IL); Orrin Hatch (Mormon, UT); Frank R. Lautenberg (NJ) and Bernard Sanders (VT), both Jewish. I'm sure they all get stipends for this "service," or at the very least "expenses" with no questions asked.



To see a list of the current members of the Council, which appears to be entirely Jewish (though I suppose a few are not), go here:

### http://www.ushmm.org/museum/council/

In addition to this is the large staff of the Holocaust Memorial Museum itself, for which the Federal government donated the land and the U.S. Congress voted *unanimously* to establish in 1980 after concerted lobbying by American Jews with Israeli backing. Jewish groups came up with a large amount of original funding for the museum, but now American taxpayers provide the bulk of the Holocaust Museum's annual budget – in 2003 to the tune of \$38.4 million which was 67% at the time. Its government funding for fiscal year 2004 was increased to \$39,997,000. It is currently in the area of \$50 million a year. (By comparison, in 2003, the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts received less than \$34 million in federal funding. That figure was cut to \$32,560,000 for fiscal year 2004.)1

Moreover, in the year 2000, President Bill Clinton, a Democrat, signed legislation granting the museum **permanent status** as a federal agency, in effect **locking in federal support.** As a museum press release explained at the time, "Permanent status permits Congress to provide funding without having to review the federal role. Every U.S. government entity requires congressional authority before funds can be allocated; but not every federal institution is given permanent status."



According to the USHMM website, the museum's function is to be a "living memorial to the Holocaust." The U.S. taxpayers were not asked whether they thought their tax money should go to providing *in perpetuity* a living memorial to "The Holocaust" on American soil, but their Congressmen-and-women answered the demand of the Jews to do it in their name.

Constant media propaganda deceives many an American into thinking this expensive memorial is helping world peace or global humanitarianism. According to an ADL press release, the program "brings law enforcement officers to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C. for an intensive program that challenges them to examine their relationship with the public and to explore issues of personal responsibilty and ethical conduct."2 If the museum helps foot the bill for these junkets, that would explain where some of the yearly \$50 million goes. In what way, however, does it help U.S. law enforcement officers do a better job enforcing U.S. law, except to "profile" certain groups as likely victims and others as likely perpetrators? It appears to be nothing more than indoctrination. The same is done with school children who are also brought to the museum to be indoctrinated into who are the victims and who the perpetrators.

#### Who is taking advantage of whom?

This is just one piece of the morality tale of how our government gets stolen out from under us by clever, well-organized Jews and elected representatives of the people who, instead of serving the majority interests, serve Jewish interests. Elie Wiesel has been a 'friend' of every U.S. President since he became a U.S. citizen in 1963 ... why? There are many 'holocaust survivors' among the U.S. population, some with far better stories than Wiesel's. Many have even written books. Why aren't they feted by Presidents and put in charge of multi-million dollar budgets and taxpayer-funded museums?

One thing we can say is that a large part of the USHMM's mission is to facilitate and *secure* a glorious legacy for Elie Wiesel. He is the chosen one to represent, as much as is possible in the person of one man, the horror and meaning and continuation of the Jewish Shoah for all time. Thus, the USHMM devotes a lot of attention to Wiesel now, and after he is dead ... well, you ain't seen nuthin' yet. Here, as an example, is what was said upon bestowing on Wiesel the museum's highest honor in May of this year, which they even named after him:



Why is it always Wiesel?
In honor of Wiesel's extraordinary vision and moral stature, which not only created the Museum but inspired a worldwide movement of Holocaust remembrance and education, the award henceforth will

be named the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Elie Wiesel Award.

As a speaker at this event, Clemantine Wamariya (mentioned above as one of the October appointees to the Holocaust Council), said of the impact Wiesel's book Night had on her as an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student, "It was as if my mouth opened and I've never been quiet since. It spoke to me directly and told me I must not be silent." Elie Wiesel the public personage cannot be separated from the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington D.C. It is as responsible for him as he is responsible for it. What that means will continue to be explored on this website.

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## Dershowitz' Lies and Glitches by Gilad Atzmon Wednesday, November 9, 2011 at 11:21AM

Rabid Zionist Alan Dershowitz is devastated by the success of 'The Wandering Who'. He just cannot accept that professors and academics endorse the book "as 'brilliant,' 'fascinating,' 'absorbing,' and 'moving'," In his latest article he again misses an opportunity to debate the book, its message and its meaning. He prefers instead to indulge in the only things for which he possesses any talent at all - lying and bullying.

But why, I wonder, does Dershowitz insist on reducing a potentially ethical, intellectual and ideological debate to just one more Zionist exercise in mud-slinging? I can think of only two possible answers; First, Dershowitz lacks the necessary intellect to engage in a debate and second, that Zionism and Israel cannot be defended - ethically, morally or intellectually. But there is also an amusing aspect to Dershowitz's Zio-centric tantrum. For some strange reason, he believes that it's down to him, an ultra Zionist, to decide who his kosher enough to lead the Palestinian solidarity discourse. "There is growing concern that some of Israel's most vocal detractors are crossing a red line between acceptable criticism of Israel and legitimizing anti-Semitism," he pontificates without really being able to point at any anti Semitism in mine or anyone else's work. But is it down to Dershowitz or any other Zionist to define the 'red lines' of the solidarity discourse?

Dershowitz tries so hard to 'prove' that I am an anti-Semite but fails to even define what anti Semitism is. In the past, anti-Semites were people who didn't like Jews but on Planet Dershowitz, anti-Semites are simply those Dershowitz hates (or fears). He mentions, for instance, the significant role of Austrian philosopher Otto Weininger in shaping my views yet seems unable to suggest exactly what it is in Weininger's influence that makes me into an 'anti- Semite'. He points at my contempt for 'the Jew in me' but this leaves me wondering, why am I not permitted to hate myself? Why am I not permitted to loathe 'the Jew in me'? I'll try to expand on this. Why is it that when I hate 'myself' Dershowitz is so devastatingly and personally offended? Is it possible that my loathing of the 'Jew in me' exposes an inherent problem at the core of Jewish identity politics in general? And if this is indeed the case, why can't we just discuss it openly? What is Dershowitz afraid of?

It's obvious that, like other Zionists, Dershowitz lacks the elementary capacity to engage in proper intellectual debate. Instead he prefers to take quotes out of context – or if that fails, well, he just lies.

In his latest article, Dershowitz conceals from his readers the fact that my book deals solely with Jewish ideology. It avoids any reference to Jews as people, race or ethnicity and concentrates only on ideology and culture. He probably realises that my avoidance of any form of criticism of the Jews as people or ethnicity leaves him and his life's-work on a path to nowhere.

For example, I do indeed call the recent credit crunch a 'Zio-punch' (22) and I insist that by no means was it "a Jewish conspiracy". Because, as I clearly prove, "it was all in the open" (30).

So why is this anti Semitic? I neither blame, nor associate the 'Jew' or the 'Jews' with the financial turmoil. But I do make the necessary connection between that financial turmoil and the criminal Zionist wars in which we are engaged. If Dershowitz is unhappy with my reading of the situation, well, all he has to do is to produce a counter-argument. Clearly, this is the one thing he cannot do.

I also follow Israeli historian Shlomo Sand and argue that, as far as Israel is concerned, influential Zionists had better stay right where they are in the Diaspora rather than make Aliya. Have not Wolfowitz, Rahm, Emmanuel, Dershowitz etc "proved far more effective for the Zionist cause by staying where they are"? (19). Is this an anti Semitic statement? Is it not rather an 'astute political observation'?

And Dershowitz is right. I do insist that the American media "failed to warn the American people of the enemy within" (27), though it seems that those who now occupy Wall Street have certainly managed to grasp who the enemies are and where they may be found. But is it really anti-Semitic to oppose the influential lobby of a foreign State which dominates your country's foreign policy? Is it anti-Semitic to oppose a politically motivated club that succeeds in driving your country to financial ruin?

Dershowitz writes "Atzmon has written that Jews are evil and a menace to humanity". This does leave me a touch bewildered, because, first, it doesn't represent my views at all. Second, it doesn't sound even remotely like me or my writing. Third, not one single sentence in my book or in my writing refers to 'Jews' as people or an ethnic group but only to Jewish identity politics, Jewish culture or Jewish ideology. Far more significant is the fact that Dershowitz fails to support his bizarre statement with any contextual reference whatsoever. Instead of citing any criticism of 'Jews' or the "Jew' he just provides us with examples of my criticism of Israeli behaviour.

"With Fagin and Shylock in mind Israeli barbarism and organ trafficking seem to be just other events in an endless hellish continuum."

The truth is that, in my original text, the above sentence actually refers to Zionist lawyer Anthony Julius' latest book. Here is the original quote in full: "It doesn't take a genius to gather why Julius and others are concerned with Fagin or Shylock. Fagin is the ultimate plunderer, a child exploiter and usurer. Shylock is the bloodthirsty merchant. With Fagin and Shylock in mind, the Israeli treatment of the Palestinians seems to be just a further event in an endless hellish continuum." (51)

Harsh words indeed, but they refer clearly to Anthony Julius' Zionist advocacy and his obsession with Jewish stereotypes such as Shylock and Fagin. So what's Dershowitz up to?

But, I'll say this for him, he doesn't give up. Again, he tries his luck - "The Homo Zionicus quickly became a mass murderer, detached from any recognised form of ethical thinking and engaged in a colossal crime against humanity." – but again he fails. The 'Homo Zionicus' is not a 'general' reference to 'Jews' but a clear attempt to point at a particular form of Jewish national school of thought, namely Zionismus. Dershowitz should explain to us, once and for all why he believes that Zionism is beyond criticism.

Now Dershowitz gets desperate. His article is going nowhere so now he decides to deceive his readers. He quotes me as saying "[T]o be a Jew is a deep commitment that goes far beyond any legal or moral order" (20) and this commitment "pulls more and more Jews into an obscure, dangerous and unethical fellowship" (21).

I was slightly surprised to read this quote since such a statement would be for me completely out of character. So I decided to check my original text. And would you believe it, it was immediately clear that Dershowitz had deliberately and consciously decided to drop the first half of the sentence. He was, quite simply, trying to trick the reader. Judge for yourself.

"(Jodeph) Lapid, later a member of Sharon's cabinet, makes it very clear: to be a Jew is a deep commitment that goes far beyond any legal or moral order."

Yes, the above sentence actually refers to right wing Israeli journalist Joseph Lapid's perception of Jewishness. But in his article Dershowitz tries to attribute this view to me. Truly, Dershowitz does work 'by the way of deception'.

I know Dershowitz is no fool. He knew what he was doing. He was lying in an attempt to score points. But the irony of this grubby little episode is that the above half-quote actually portrays Dershowitz's true ethical attitude. For him at least, 'to be a Zionist is a deep commitment that goes very far beyond any legal or moral order'. The question to ask here is whether Dershowitz's deceitful attitude is symptomatic of the Zionist discourse. I am afraid that this may be indeed the case. After all, the Mossad's mantra is plainly clear-" by way of deception, thou shalt make war."

Dershowitz continues. If Iran and Israel fight a nuclear war that kills tens of millions of people, "some may be bold enough to argue that 'Hitler might have been right after all'" (179). Here, I obviously stand by my words. I really don't think that Germans, Italian and French will be all that pleased to learn that a lethal radioactive cloud is approaching their borders due to an Israeli pre-emptive nuclear attack on Iran. This is not wishful thinking on my part, as I clearly state in the book, but a clear warning to Israel. If Israel proceeds with its plans to nuke Iran, the consequences may well include a serious shift in the view of the Jewish past.

Dershowitz says, "Atzmon regularly urges his readers to doubt the Holocaust and to reject Jewish history." Here, correction is needed. I actually urge my readers to question every historical narrative and this obviously includes the Shoa and Jewish history. And yes, I do indeed oppose any notion of the primacy of Jewish suffering.

Dershowitz quotes me as saying "Even if we accept the Holocaust as the new Anglo-American liberal-democratic religion, we must allow people to be atheists." I must admit to being rather proud of my aphorism here so thank you Mr

Dershowitz for sharing one of my gems with your Neo-con readers.

Anyway, he's certainly not impressed by my idea that children should be allowed to question "how the teacher could know that these accusations of Jews making Matza out of young Goyim's blood were indeed empty or groundless" (185). I suppose that Dershowitz hasn't heard about Israeli professor Ariel Toaff's study of Jewish medieval blood libel. Toaff found that accusations of blood rituals levelled against Jews in the Middle Ages were not entirely without foundation, to say the least. I suppose that if Dershowitz had heard about Toaff, his reaction to my take on the subject might have been a little more tolerant.

Dershowitz kindly says on my behalf that "the history of Jewish persecution is a myth, and if there was any persecution the Jews brought it on themselves" and he even provides page numbers: (175, 182). Well, this statement sounded foreign to me, so I searched the relevant pages but could find none of the above. I actually elaborate philosophically on issues to do with temporality, 'being in time', the meaning of the past and the significance of history. Is it possible that a professor at Harvard Law School would deceive so openly and repeatedly? I fear this indeed may be the case.

"Atzmon", writes Dershowitz, "argues that Jews are corrupt and responsible for 'why' they are 'hated'." Again I'm puzzled because the book is not about 'Jews' but about Identity politics. So I was looking forward to seeing how Dershowitz supports this peculiar interpretation. And yet again, it seems that it is Dershowitz himself who conflates the notions of the 'Jew' and 'Israel'. Dershowitz quotes me saying- "[I]n order to promote Zionist interests, Israel must generate significant anti-Jewish sentiment. Cruelty against Palestinian civilians is a favourite Israeli means of achieving this aim." It is totally clear that the above quote refers to Israel and Israeli politics. It doesn't refer at all to the 'Jew' or 'Jews'.

At one stage Dershowitz just loses it. He starts to think that he can get away with downright deception. For instance, he accuses me of suggesting that "The 'Judaic God' described in Deuteronomy 6:10-12 'is an evil deity, who leads his people to plunder, robbery and theft' (120). But he deliberately fails to produce the most relevant quotes. Here they are, and I will leave it to you to come up with the appropriate judgment regarding Deuteronomy's God:

"When the Lord your God brings you into the land you are entering to possess and drives out before you many nations ...you must destroy them totally. Make no treaty with them, and show them no mercy." Deuteronomy 7:1–2

"Do not leave alive anything that breathes. Completely destroy them ... as the Lord your God has commanded you ..." Deuteronomy 20:16

I'm afraid that the above God does not appear to be the most compassionate and merciful around.

According to Dershowitz it is "Atzmon (who) explains that 'Israel and Zionism ... have instituted the plunder promised by the Hebrew God in the Judaic holy scriptures" (121)."

Here is the complete original quote. It makes a lot of sense to me, but is not in any way anti-Semitic. "The never-ending theft of Palestine in the name of the Jewish people is part of a spiritual, ideological, cultural and practical continuum between the Bible, Zionist ideology and the State of Israel (along with its overseas supporters). Israel and Zionism, both successful political systems, have instituted the plunder promised by the Hebrew God in the Judaic holy scriptures." (121)

The above quote is certainly not very flattering to the Zionist project but it is, nonetheless, an attempt to understand the logos behind Israeli aggression. Dershowitz is entitled to present a counter-argument. But this is something, he never manages to do.

Rarely does Dershowitz manage to draw an appropriate and informed conclusion from the book. Here, somehow, he succeeded. "The moral of the Book of Esther is that Jews 'had better infiltrate the corridors of power' if they wish to survive (158)." This is, I believe, the primary moral of The Book of Esther. And in 'The Wandering Who' I do indeed establish an ideological continuum between The Book of Esther and the

Book of AIPAC. Is it anti Semitic to trace the ideological background of an ethnocentric political aspiration?

Dershowitz also grasps that as far as I'm concerned, in some ways, Israel is indeed worse than Nazi Germany. "Many of us including me tend to equate Israel to Nazi Germany. Rather often I myself join others and argue that Israelis are the Nazis of our time. I want to take this opportunity to amend my statement. Israelis are not the Nazis of our time and the Nazis were not the Israelis of their time. Israel is in fact far worse than Nazi Germany and the above equation is simply meaningless and misleading."

For obvious reasons Dershowitz fails to provide a reference, and he also manages to forget to provide us with the next few lines which are crucial to the understanding of the above statement. "Unlike totalitarian Nazi Germany, the Jewish State is a 'democracy'. In other words, the entirety of its Jewish population is complicit in IDF crimes against humanity. As if this is not enough, the fact that 94% of Israel's Jewish population supported the IDF genocidal attack in Gaza just over a year ago makes the case against Israel solid like a rock." It is a fact that Israel is a 'democracy' and that makes Israelis collectively complicit in the colossal and continuous Israeli crime against humanity.

Sad it may be, but in his entire article Dershowitz fails to provide a single example of 'bigotry against Jews'. He instead tries to silence any criticism of Israel and Zionism. I would agree with Dershowitz that some of the things I say and write could be painful to both Zionist and Jewish ethnic activists, but here, Dershowitz may just have to come to terms with the fact that political, ideological and ethical matters are sometimes painful.

Perhaps one day Dershowitz might admit that he couldn't find any real fault in the book. "(L)ike other classic anti-Semites, Atzmon doesn't simply fault the individual Jews he names; he concocts a worldwide Jewish conspiracy motivated by a 'ruthless Zio-driven' (27) 'Jewish ideology' (69) that finds its source in 'the lethal spirit (122) of the Hebrew Bible." Unfortunately Dershowitz is again not accurate. He's right when he admits that I 'do not fault individual Jews', but surely he must also know that I oppose the notion of 'Jewish conspiracy'. Every anecdote and reference in the book is subject to public and open scrutiny. In my work there is no Jewish conspiracy. Everything is done right out in the open. I indeed blame the ideology and look into the culture because I believe that Ideology must be subject to scrutiny and criticism. But Dershowitz must believe that Jewish ideology is beyond criticism. On that I disagree. Being an anti-racist writer, I oppose any form of Jewish supremacy. Moreover, considering that Israel defines itself as the Jewish State and bearing in mind the level of its criminality, surely scrutinising Jewishness must be a primary humanist task.

Dershowitz ends his empty drivel by challenging Professors John J. Mearsheimer and Richard Falk to a public debate "about why they have endorsed and said such positive things about so hateful and anti-Semitic a book by so bigoted and dishonest a writer."

It's pretty obvious that Dershowitz has failed to produce a single shred of evidence of myself being anti-Semitic. But it's

also embarrassingly clear that when Dershowitz speaks about a "bigoted and dishonest writer" he actually projects his own symptoms onto me – yes, he is speaking about himself. This Zionist bigot must be tormented by his own life of deceit.

I doubt if respected academics and humanists such as Mearsheimer and Falk would find the time for Dershowitz. However, as I said before, I will find the time for this Zionist mouthpiece. I would just adore tearing him apart in public. As I said before, Mr Dershowitz, any place, any time.



# The Wandering Who on <u>Amazon.com</u> or <u>Amazon.co.uk</u> Gilad Atzmon: Desperate Dershowitz

Monday, December 5, 2011 at 12:41PM Gilad Atzmon

Dershowitz is desperate. In a recent TV appearance, in a mere seven minutes the notorious Zionist mouthpiece, manages to exhibit just about every single ugly Hasbara symptom.

And what is Dershowitz so desperate about? Dershowitz, is desperate to stop 'The Wandering Who'. Why? Because 'The Wandering Who' is probably the only contemporary text that offers a complete and comprehensive reading into, not only Jewish Identity politics in general but also into Dershowitz' own particular psychosis and duplicitous behaviour.

Speaking of duplicitous behaviour, being a prime Hasbara agent and well used to 'the ways of deception', Dershowitz fails to produce a single truthful statement in the entire program. He lies all the way through. But lies and deception are not going to help Dershowitz.

To read a complete expose of Dershowitzes Lies and Glitches Watch the latest video at <a href="http://www.foxbusiness.com">http://www.foxbusiness.com</a>

Dershowitz, a largely despised supremacist Zionist, wants to 'shame' two of America's most distinguished professors. However, in pleading with academics and students to carry out the 'shaming', Dershowitz actually follows one of the most disturbing of all Talmudic rituals - the Cherem.

Why does Dershowitz believe he has the moral authority to 'shame' two of the world's leading humanists? Is it because he believes himself to be intellectually or morally superior, or is it that he is just, quite simply 'chosen'?

It's about time that Dershowitz accepts that American universities are not Yeshivas and he should rein in his mediaeval rabbinical approach to political and intellectual discourse.

Being an ex-Jew, I ask no-one to 'shame' Dershowitz in return. This sad, vindictive man brings more than enough shame on himself – and on anyone within the Jewish community who identify so disastrously with his repellent behaviour.

The Wandering Who is now a best seller, it is endorsed by a huge list of academics and humanists and its message spreads like fire in a field. Needles to mention that I am thankful to Dershowitz and other Hasbara agents for their free publicity.

## Just an aside - going local

## Teaching in schools with a criminal record

Sheradyn Holderhead, Education Editor The Advertiser October 25, 2011 12:00AM

TEACHERS are being allowed to work despite being found guilty of assault, drink driving and drug possession.

The information, obtained through a Freedom of Information request from Family First MLC Robert Brokenshire, also showed two approved applicants were dismissed following allegations of unprofessional conduct. The Teachers Registration Board response revealed that between August 12, 2010, and September 5, 2011, 42 applicants made a declaration relating to questions about fitness and propriety. The teacher with the longest list of charges was found guilty of

property offences and minor drug offences in the late 1970s and early 1980s, followed by social security fraud/overpayment (1997), minor possession of cannabis (1998) and theft (2004).

Mr Brokenshire said the Government had to ensure "very careful analysis" of teachers to ensure high standards. "There especially needs to be proper scrutiny and analysis when they come from interstate because if they have had a problem that could be the reason for the move," he said.

Teachers Registration Board of South Australia registrar Wendy Hastings said when an applicant indicated they

# had to make a declaration about fitness and propriety further inquiries were conducted.

"We're not talking about major robberies, serious assault or sexual abuse and in some cases they happened five, 10, 15 or 20 years ago," she said. The information provided by the board stated one applicant was dismissed following allegations of unprofessional conduct and that with another teacher "regulatory authority is currently assessing the matter". Ms Hastings said at the time of lodgement, the applicant was registered in another state. "Appropriate checks were made ... with that state, which responded indicating there were no matters currently before the regulatory authority," she said. In the other case, the applicant had successfully appealed his dismissal and was reinstated by his employer. After reinstatement the board granted provisional registration and a serious reprimand was issued.

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Fredrick Töben - Letter to The Advertiser:

The TRB also questioned whether my 2009 three months imprisonment for contempt of court had given me a 'bad character'.

I explained the details of this sentence arose out of my refusing to believe in the Holocaust myth, and that my police record is clear. The matter is not a criminal matter involving police but one between a judge and I.

Also, the imprisonment did not prevent my being granted a US visa where the character test consists of the concept: moral turpitude, which is fulfilled when an individual does physical damage to person or property. In the US my matter is regarded as a matter caught by a watered-down version of defamation law. The overarching concept, of course, is free expression. But here the enemy that fears individuals who can think for themselves has split free expression into free speech and hate speech, the latter being anything thy don't like to hear, then plays the hurt victim card.

In my particular case, as with the Andrew Bolt case, it was enough for someone to complain that what I had written hurt their feelings. I was never given the opportunity of testing my assertion for truth-content because, unlike in defamation actions, truth is no defence.

Here is how it's done – the attempt at framing Iran for 9/11 follows Nuremberg War Crimes Tribunal procedure – get a legal precedent on the books. Timmerman's article attempts this by asserting Iran was involved in the INSIDER JOB of 9:11. Will the world buy this story as a factually true story?

## Iran's Dirty 9/11 Secrets

### Posted by Kenneth R. Timmerman Bio J on Sep 9th, 2011



It has taken nearly ten years, but the real story of Iran's direct, material involvement in the 9/11 conspiracy is finally coming to light. And it's being revealed not by the U.S. government or by Congressional investigators but by private attorneys representing families of the 9/11 victims in U.S. District Court.

Just one week before the 9/11 Commission sent its final report to the printers in July 2004, diligent staffers discovered a six-page classified National Security Agency analysis summarizing what the U.S. intelligence community had learned about Iran's assistance to the 9/11 hijackers.

They happened upon the document by chance. It had been tucked away at the bottom of the last box in the last stack of classified documents they were reviewing. But it was so explosive that several Commissioners pushed hard to make sure the information it contained was included in the final report, despite intense push back from the intelligence community.

The page and a half section that made the final cut (see pages 240-241) details repeated trips to Iran by 8-10 of the "muscle" hijackers between October 2000 and

February 2001. Flying in from Saudi Arabia, Damascus, and Beirut, the future hijackers were accompanied by "senior Hezbollah operatives" who were in fact agents of the Iranian regime.

The information was so explosive that the CIA lobbied hard to get it expunged from the final report, in part because they had detected some of the movements as they were occurring but failed to appreciate their import. "They saw them as travel *through* Iran, not travel *to* Iran," a senior 9/11 Commission staffer told me at the time.

By the time the staffers had read into the 75 source documents on a Sunday morning out at NSA headquarters at Fort Meade, MD, the Commission was pushing up against the end of its mandate and could not do any additional work. The information was so serious and had such clear geopolitical import that it "requires further investigation by the U.S. government," they concluded. Many of the Commissions and senior staff who were aware of the document find assumed someone else would pick up the ball.

But as attorney Thomas Mellon, Jr. and his colleagues representing Fiona Havlish and other 9/11 widows and family members discovered, no such investigation was ever carried out. Not even the Congressional intelligence committees would go near the subject, despite direct appeals from the *Havlish* plaintiffs and a review of many of the original still-classified documents cited in the report.

I was engaged by the *Havlish* attorneys in 2004 to carry out the investigation the 9/11 Commission report called on the U.S. government to handle. We had no governmental authority, hardly any budget, and no access to classified intelligence or intelligence assets. But what we found and made public starting this May is enough to hang a fish. Put simply:

- The Islamic Republic of Iran helped design the 9/11 plot;
- provided intelligence support to identify and train the operatives who carried it out;
- allowed the future hijackers to evade U.S. and Pakistani surveillance on key trips to Afghanistan where they received the final order of mission from Osama bin Laden, by escorting them through Iranian borders without passport stamps;
- evacuated hundreds of top al Qaeda operatives from Afghanistan to Iran after the 9/11 just as U.S. forces launched their offensive;
- provided safe haven and continued financial support to al Qaeda cadres for years after 9/11;
- allowed al Qaeda to use Iran as an operational base for additional terror attacks, in particular the May 2003 bombings in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

Key elements of our proofs are in bullet points <u>at the end of this article</u>. For those wishing a more detailed account, <u>here is a partially-redacted affidavit</u> I provided to the Court that traces the Islamic Republic of Iran's relationship al Qaeda back to the early 1990s.

## **Panic at CIA**

As the *Havlish* case was getting closer to making its information public last year, certain old guard elements within the CIA went into a panic mode, apparently worried that their failure to act on indicators and warnings in 2000 and 2001 would come to light and ruin their post-Agency careers. I can now reveal that they made several attempts to suborn two of the *Havlish* witnesses who were located overseas.

In the first attempt, in August 2010, an individual presenting himself as a CIA official, told our witness that the Agency wanted to "break" the *Havlish* litigation against the Islamic Republic of Iran, and considered the witness's testimony to be crucial to the lawsuit's success.

He asked the witness to publicly recant his testimony, in exchange for which the CIA official promised to provide him with fresh passports for himself and his family under new identities, as well as a job and two year's salary guarantee.

The second attempt, in December 2010, was even more audacious. This time, another individual claiming to be a CIA official showed a different witness confidential documents that clearly had been stolen from the legal consortium, then took him into a U.S. embassy and grilled him for five hours.

The stolen documents included internal *Havlish* memos, PowerPoint presentations, and an excerpt from the videotaped testimony of one of the witnesses. None of these documents had ever been made public nor were they in possession of the witnesses themselves. *Havlish* took great care to protect these documents out of concern for the security of our witnesses. The CIA officer then asked that the witness retract his testimony and offered him a substantial monetary payment in exchange.

After I reported those attempts at witness tampering to a Congressional oversight committee, they ceased.

In the past six months the intelligence community, under new leadership, has begun to take a hard look at what it actually knew about Iran and al Qaeda prior to the 9/11 attacks. From what I've been hearing, what they're finding is coming as a big shock to a lot of people, especially those who bought into the conventional wisdom that the Shiite fundamentalist regime in Iran would never cooperate with Sunni extremists such as al Qaeda (or Hamas, for that matter).

Recent events in Iraq and Afghanistan, where the U.S. military has publicly cited Iran for providing weapons, money, and military training to the Taliban and other insurgent groups to kill Americans, has helped to change the mindset. So have the announcements over the past two years by the Department of Treasury that Iran is arming and training al Qaeda and the Taliban. Most recently, Treasury designated a group of al Qaeda financiers they revealed were operating out of Iran.

But the big question remains: now that we can begin to appreciate the extent of Iran's involvement in the 9/11 attacks – and in the ongoing attacks that are killing Americans in Iraq and Afghanistan – what are we going to do about it?

Stay tuned.

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http://frontpagemag.com/2011/09/09/iran%e2%80%99s-dirty-911-secrets/

# Developing the theoretical framework for an insider-job. Note how the insider-job enriches the industrial-financial complex twice: 1. Selling arms for war, and 2. Rebuilding-enslaving the destroyed.

During the later half of the 1980s, he covered the Iran-Iraq war, gaining first-hand knowledge of Iraq's deadly weapons buildup. His third book, <u>The Death Lobby: How the West Armed Iraq (Houghton Mifflin, 1991)</u> was called "our Bible" by Ambassador Rolf Ekeus, chief of the UN Special Commission for the Disarmament of Iraq. After the Gulf War, Ekeus and his weapons inspectors used Timmerman's information to help locate clandestine <u>Iraqi weapons plants</u> and to identify their foreign suppliers.

A ground-making study on the unconventional weapons programs of Iran, Libya, and Syria, commissioned by the Simon Wiesenthal Center in 1992, won applause from Democrats and Republicans alike.





In presenting the report to the public, famed Nazi hunter **Simon Wiesenthal t**old one audience: "I have spent my life tracking down the murderers of yesterday. Mr. Timmerman is tracking down the murderers of tomorrow."

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After the first Gulf War, Timmerman assisted a veterans group in a class action lawsuit against the German companies who helped build Saddam Hussein's deadly chemical weapons, which may have contributed to Persian

Gulf War Syndrome.



Today, he is helping families of the victims of the September 11 attacks prepare a class action lawsuit against the government of the Islamic Republic of Iran, because of <u>its direct, material involvement in the al Qaeda plot to attack America</u>, a story he detailed in <u>Countdown to Crisis</u> and in several stories for Newsmax.com that can be found <u>here</u>.

During this time, he also has worked to strengthen America's greatest export of all: democracy as a Congressional aid and a human rights activist.

In 1995, along with Peter Rodman, Joshua Muravchik, and a group of Iranian patriots, he established the <u>Foundation for Democracy in Iran</u> (FDI).

#### - Remember this article?

## Kenneth R. Timmerman: Israeli Mossad Front Man to Iranian Expatriates?

July 4, 2008 by Mark Dankof

### By Mark Dankof for the American Free Press http://www.americanfreepress.net/

It may be more than significant that **Kenneth R. Timmerman**, neo-conservative columnist *par excellence*, has been recently interested in covering Iranian expatriate political activities in Europe and the United States designed to produce regime change in Tehran, most notably the recent "*Iran Solidarity*" conference held earlier this month in **Paris**.

Timmerman, of course, is the author of the now infamous disinformation piece published by *Insight Magazine* of the Moonie-owned *Washington Times* on October 15, 2002, alleging Saddam Hussein's possession of Weapons of Mass Destruction. The *Insight* headline advertising the essay, published half a year before Bush's preemptive military action in Iraq in early 2003, says it all:

How Saddam Got Weapons of Mass Destruction: Saddam Hussein's War Machine Is Being Built Systematically to Strike At the United States With New Nuclear, Biological and Chemical Weapons Designed to Kill Millions

Mr. Timmerman bases his now totally discredited case for war with Iraq on the "intelligence" provided by the nefarious Ahmad Chalabi and the Iraqi National Congress's (INC) committee of six, based in London in late 2002. And what he doesn't say in the essay of 56 months ago is as significant as the falsehoods pathetically put to paper on apparent behalf of his suspected master handlers in both Washington and Tel Aviv. In demonizing Mr. Hussein, he conveniently manages not to remind his readers of the long-standing relationship between Saddam and American intelligence, going back to the former's role as a CIAhired trigger man selected to shoot the then-Prime Minister of Iraq in a failed assassination attempt in 1958. Nor does the Moonie-employed columnist bother to tell the uninitiated and unsuspecting about Hussein's pivotal performance as an instrument of Western intelligence agencies in provoking the eight year war between Iraq and Iran from 1980-88. Why?

The answers may lie between the lines of the original text of the now embarrassing **Insight** story, still accessible on the Net by clicking <a href="http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi">http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi</a> m1571/is 38 18/ai 93457394.

How Saddam got weapons of mass destruction: Saddam Hussein's war machine is being built systematically to strike at the U.S. with new nuclear, biological and chemical weapons designed to kill millions

> Insight on the News, Oct 15, 2002 by Kenneth R. Timmermann

Recent intelligence information revealing dramatic progress in Iraq's nuclear-weapons program has given a new urgency to U.S. and British efforts to build international support for war with Iraq, according to Iraqi opposition leaders interviewed by INSIGHT in London.

The information, from recent defectors and other sources working with the broad-based Iraqi National Congress (INC), indicates that Baghdad has made "a recent breakthrough" in production of the fissile material needed to produce the bomb. It was buttressed on Sept. 24 when the British government released an "unprecedented" white paper based in part on classified intelligence information on Iraq's weapons of mass destruction programs. As U.N. inspectors ultimately discovered after several years of investigations in Iraq, the lack of nuclear-weapons materials was the only obstacle that blocked Iraq from joining the nuclear club before the Persian Gulf War in 1991. It remains so today.

The warnings from the opposition INC coincide with new assessments of Iraqi weapons programs from independent think tanks. "If Iraq were to acquire material from another country, it is possible that it could assemble a nuclear weapon in months," the Carnegie Endowment in Washington concluded in a recent report.

Former Clinton national-security official Gary Samore is more circumspect in a just completed "net assessment" of Iraq's weapons programs for the International Institute for Strategic

Affairs in London. While he agrees that Iraq rapidly could assemble a weapon with fissile material from abroad, he doubts Iraq can produce special nuclear material on its own. "That will take much longer, with a relatively higher risk of detection than for chemical- or biological-weapons production," he tells INSIGHT.

But the think tanks also admit that they are just guessing. For the last four years there have been no international weapons inspectors in Baghdad. The only hard information on Iraqi weapons programs has come from Iraqi defectors and from U.S. national-technical means, including spy satellites and overflights of Iraq by combat air patrols. The U.S. intelligence community has all but admitted publicly that it has no human sources in Iraq.

"We know that Saddam Hussein pursued weapons of mass murder even when inspectors were in the country," President George W. Bush reminded the United Nations on Sept. 12. "Are we to assume that he stopped when they left?" To credit this regime's good faith is "to bet the lives of millions and the peace of the world in a reckless gamble."

A former senior Iragi intelligence officer tells INSIGHT that information obtained by the INC during the last few months indicates "Iraq has made significant progress recently in uranium enrichment." That conclusion is based on Iraqi purchases of specialized magnets from Germany and aluminum tubes for enrichment centrifuges from South Africa, as well as firsthand reports from defectors and sources in place who have visited new clandestine nuclear- and biological-weapons production sites during the last 18 months. Among those clandestine sites are several new uraniumenrichment plants, INC says. "Iraq is no longer using large, easy-to-spot facilities, but small-scale production plants that fit in small areas," a senior INC official says. According to INSIGHT sources, Iraqi engineers are miniaturizing the bomb design to make it fit onto a missile, using modeling software and fast new computers recently imported through Dubai, and actively enriching uranium using centrifuges and gaseousdiffusion membranes.

"Yes, there is a new urgency," says Ahmed Chalabi, a member of the six-man INC leadership committee in London. "We see an acceleration of these programs that shows Saddam is hellbent on acquiring fissile material not just to build one bomb, but to have a stockpile of weapons," he tells INSIGHT.

The Iraqi regime is turning increasingly to South Africa to procure nuclear materials and forbidden equipment needed for its weapons programs, INC sources tell INSIGHT. A top Iraqi intelligence official, Nadhim Jabouri, has been dispatched to the Iraqi embassy in Johannesburg to handle contacts with South African nuclear engineers. He also is in touch with Armscor, the state armaments directorate (also known as Denel), which supplied Iraq with advanced 155 mm howitzers during the Iran-Iraq war.

To grease the skids and arrange travel documents, Iraqi procurement agents operating in Amman, Jordan, go through the first secretary of the South African embassy, Shoeman du Plessis. The willingness of the South African government to sell nuclear material and weapons to Iraq, and their fear of getting caught, could explain the virulent outburst by former South African president Nelson Mandela, who told Newsweek recently that the U.S.--not Saddam Hussein--presents "a threat to world peace."

The credibility of the INC information was given a new boost in a White House report issued to buttress the president's U.N. speech. The section on Iraqi weapons programs began by citing Adnan Saeed al-Haideri, an Iraqi specialist who visited scores of clandestine weapons sites before defecting to the INC in November 2001. Al-Haideri had become Iraq's top authority in specialized epoxies used to seal minute cracks in concrete structures and clean rooms to prevent leaks that could give away their location. His skills made him an essential partner of Iraq's Special Security Organization, which used him to hide mini-production labs and storage facilities in private houses and other sites across Iraq.

When the CIA debriefed him in December 2001, al-Haideri identified 300 separate clandestine sites used by Iraq to hide biological and chemical weapons and nuclear materials. Some of the equipment was hidden in lead containers stored in fake wells lined with concrete. Al-Haideri said he was called in to seal cracks in the concrete because the Iraqis feared U.S. surveillance satellites would pick up the slightest radioactive emissions.

Al-Haideri's access to Iraq's best-kept secrets provided the United States with a "motherlode of intelligence," one source familiar with his debriefing tells INSIGHT. Iraq is so worried about what he told the CIA that a senior official took reporters in early August to a Baghdad site he claimed al-Haideri had identified as a biological-weapons production plant. Instead, the official claimed, it was a "livestock vaccination laboratory." Reporters were shown abandoned monitoring cameras installed by the United Nations. Dust-covered equipment and bottles littered the floor. Pointing to this "evidence," their Iraqi escort claimed that al-Haideri "is lying to the CIR" and was "motivated by our enemies."

Early this spring, intelligence analysts in Washington monitoring the progress of Iraq's nuclear-weapons programs were stunned when they discovered plans by a known Iraqi procurement front, al-Wasel & Babel, to purchase large quantities of special aluminum tubes for uranium-enrichment centrifuges. The procurement had been spread over a 14-month period, beginning in mid-2001.

The involvement of al-Wasel & Babel set off alarm bells. "This is a known front for the Iraqi intelligence services and their parallel procurement network controlled by Saddam Hussein's son Qusay," the former intelligence officer says. Some shipments quietly were intercepted en mute to Iraq, but a large number of the tubes slipped through, according to intelligence sources. Using these special aluminum tubes, Iraq now is believed to be operating a miniature uranium-enrichment "cascade" at a clandestine location, hermetically sealed to prevent telltale emissions.

Al-Wasel & Babel is a joint venture between the Lootah group in Dubai and the Rawame family, an Iraqi clan with dose ties to Saddam Hussein, that operates primarily out of Jordan. Their agent in Baghdad, Jamil al Hajaj, hand-delivers tasking messages from the regime to procurement agents operating outside of Iraq. Al-Wasel & Babel previously has been identified by U.S. intelligence as a conduit for clandestine purchases of Japanese fiber-optic cable through China. When INSIGHT called the group's commercial manager in the city of Dubai in the United Arab Emirates, a Pakistani named Sabr Montaz al-Qoreishi, we were told that al-Hajaj was arriving from Baghdad on Sept. 14.

Al Wasel & Babel is registered with the United Nations as a legitimate partner in oil-for-food deals and reportedly has handled close to \$900 million of Iraqi government contracts. Money from Iraq's blocked account with the Banque Nationale de Paris (BNP) is routed to al-Wasel's account (No. 104 4814976) at the al-Riggah branch of the Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank in Dubai, contractual documents obtained by INSIGHT show.

The former intelligence officer, who now works with the INC, provided details of the dual networks Iraq has set up to get around the U.N. trade restrictions. For five years he personally ran a procurement network based in Dubai for the Special Security Organization, the elite of Saddam's vast intelligence apparatus in charge of overseas procurement and with hiding key equipment and material for Saddam's weapons programs. He was arrested by the regime in 1998, viciously tortured, then given an injection and dumped on the street. Bleeding from his nose, mouth and stomach, he managed to escape to Northern Iraq and ultimately to Turkey, where human-rights workers treated him successfully for thallium poisoning, a favorite method of the regime for executing its enemies.

Saddam's thuggish older son, Uday, controls the first network. Its primary purpose is to flood the U.N. sanctions committee with export requests to trigger the release of funds from the escrow account with the BNP in New York City where since 1991 the proceeds from Iraq's oil revenues have been deposited. In some cases, the former officer said, Uday uses cutouts and middlemen to sign fictitious contracts with European companies for goods such as food and medicine that routinely are approved by the United Nations. "Once the contracts are approved, the money is released from the escrow account," he says. "Iraq then pays the company up to 40 percent for the paperwork, and lets them keep the goods. Saddam desperately needs the 60 percent in cash for forbidden goods and could care less about food or medicine." French exporters, interviewed by INSIGHT, explained yet another finesse of Saddam's commercial network. They said they had been approached by an Iraqi front company known as ALIA, based in the Garden district of Amman, Jordan. "Uday uses ALIA to squeeze a 10 percent commission from exporters that gets kicked back to the regime," an exporter tells INSIGHT. Large companies such as Renault Vehicules Industriels, Schneider Electric SA and Dow Agrosciences have used ALIA to sell several hundred million dollars worth of U.N.approved goods to Iraq, according to export documents obtained by INSIGHT. The Iraqi purchases included off-road vehicles, large quantities of specialized pumps and chillers that could be used for uranium enrichment, 2,000-liter and 5,000liter reactor vessels needed to produce chemical weapons and chemicals for pesticides. All ostensibly were sold for civilian purposes and approved by the U.N. sanctions committee in New York.

In France, ALIA also is known as SOFRAG ALIA Development France, according to the documents. It applied to the United Nations for permission to export \$1 million worth of oil-well logging equipment to Iraq under an approved program to rebuild Iraqi oil fields. Such equipment is particularly sensitive because it includes neutron generators which U.N. weapons inspectors discovered were key components in the crude gunimplosion nuclear device Iraq had designed and tested before the 1991 gulf war.

The availability of dual-use equipment such as neutron generators provides an additional sense of urgency to the United States and Britain in making the case for war against Iraq. This is how Saddam Hussein built his war machine in the 1980s and early 1990s, arms experts and analysts who track the arms industries in developing countries agree. And yet, instead of tightening export controls on such sales, the United Nations dramatically loosened them in May after intense lobbying from France, Germany, China and Russia convinced the State Department to go along. "Before the new rules," one French exporter of agricultural equipment tells INSIGHT, "it took us anywhere between 12 and 18 months to get a contract

approved by the U.N. sanctions committee. Now they are required to give us an answer within 10 days, and failure to reply means the contract is automatically approved."

Particularly worrying is the loosening of restrictions on high-tech equipment. Goods now available for export to Iraq under U.N. Security Council Resolution 1409, which was adopted in May, include a broad range of equipment with clear military applications--from agricultural sprayers that can be used to disperse biological weapons, to fiber optics and telecommunications hardware that have been used by the Iraqi military to improve and harden its integrated air-defense network.

Until recently, state-owned Chinese companies were the main suppliers of fiber-optics gear to Baghdad [see "Rogues Lending Hand to Saddam," Feb. 18]. But new documents obtained by INSIGHT show that Europe's premier technology giants now are getting into the act. Siemens of Germany and Alcatel of France have racked up sales worth several hundred million dollars that recently were approved by the U.N. sanctions committee, directly and through overseas subsidiaries. Both companies were partners of Iraq's Ministry of Industry and Military Industrialization before the 1991 gulf war. Their return to Iraq, albeit under the auspices of providing civilian telecommunications equipment, gives Baghdad access to the most advanced technology currently available in the West.

Now, Saddam has agreed to the return of U.N. arms inspectors, but it will take them months to develop the cadres and tradecraft to counter Iraqi deception, Samore believes. Chief arms inspector Hans Blix "is operating with a skeletal staff because he has insisted that experts who come to work for him quit their government jobs to reassure Iraq that they won't engage in intelligence collection." In his previous role as head of the International Atomic Energy Agency, Blix regularly certified that Iraq was engaged in purely civilian nuclear research, thus allowing Saddam to import massive amounts of nuclear technology, which was used to develop nuclear weapons.

But the U.N. sanctions have become irrelevant for another reason. Since 1999 there has been no monitoring of trade across the international land borders with Iraq. "King Abdallah [of Jordan] threw Lloyds of London out of the port of Aqaba, where they were supposed to monitor Iraqi imports," the former Iraqi intelligence officer says. "There are regular convoys of trucks to Baghdad from Jordan, and now a direct rail link from Syria carrying military spare parts and production gear, including equipment needed in Iraq's nuclear-weapons plants."

In June, Iraq brought in by rail from the Syrian port of Tartous a shipment of 60 military jet engines to upgrade aging MiG-21 fighters, the source says. More recently, Iraq purchased four Kolchuga air-defense missile batteries from Ukraine and brought them in through Syria. In exchange for its aid, Iraq is supplying Syria with 250,000 barrels of oil per day through the reopened Banias pipeline. Syria uses the Iraqi oil for its domestic consumption, freeing up oil for its own small-scale production to earn hard currency on the export market.

In Europe, meanwhile, reaction to Bush's U.N. speech was mixed, with many editorialists claiming the president had "not made the case" for war with Iraq. But, behind the scenes, well-informed sources tell INSIGHT that the fix is in, the result of intensive backroom bargaining during the last six months by administration envoys. One well-informed businessman close to French President Jacques Chirac believes that the French rejection of the U.S.-U.K. war plans is just for show. "What Chirac is really afraid of is losing face," the businessman tells

INSIGHT. "Chirac fears that the Franco-German alliance in Europe is being outmaneuvered by Britain and its new allies, Italy and Spain. When push comes to shove, he will sacrifice the French companies now doing business in Iraq and throw in his lot with the United States."

Samore has made four trips to Moscow in recent months and believes that securing Russian acquiescence will be the most difficult. "[Russian President Vladimir] Putin is probably inclined to go along with Bush at the U.N.," Samore believes. "But people in the Russian security and foreign-policy establishment are resentful of the concessions he's already made to Washington, and don't want to lend legitimacy to a U.S. effort to install a pro-U.S, government in Baghdad. It could get ugly."

Iraqi opposition leaders, who also have had quiet discussions with top Russian officials in recent months, believe Moscow's main concern is getting some return on the \$15 billion Iraq owes the former Soviet Union for arms purchases and industrial assistance in the 1980s. "I think the Russians are straightforward and keep their word," said one opposition source. "We don't expect any problem with them."

Saddam Hussein's European Helpers.

Agco SA (France)--farm equipment (\$24.5 million)

Alcatel CIT (France)--telecommunications equipment (\$37.4 million)

ALLDOS Technique de Dosage (France)--specialized pumps (\$1.6 million)

BWT France SA (France)--U.V. disinfection equipment (\$5.5 million)

Envirotech Pump Systems (France)--Specialized pumps and spare parts (\$25 million)

Hexacorp (France)--water chillers (\$2.9 million)

Irrifrance (France)--agricultural sprayers, large reactor vessels (\$8.3 million)

Levant Overseas Development Ltd. (France)--insecticide, chemicals, unidentified spare parts (11 contracts, \$9.5 million) Liebherr (Germany)--excavators, mobile cranes (\$14 million)

Pompes-Salmson (France)--specialized pumps (\$1.7 million)

Potain SA (France)--tower cranes (\$6.5 million)

Renault Vehicules Industriels (France)--heavy trucks, transporters (\$25.5 million)

Schneider Electric (France)--controllers (\$3 million)

Sofrag Alia Development (France)-well-logging units (\$1 million)

Siemens SAS (France)--pumps, spares, telecommunications gear (\$4.92 million)

Siemens Medical (Germany)--medical equipment, linear accelerators (\$12.7 million)

Siemens AG (Germany)--power-generating equipment (\$171 million)

Siemens Information (Italy)--microwave links (\$3.1 million)

Siemens Sanayi vfe Ticaret (Turkey)-Telecommunications and power-generation equipment (\$58.5 million)

Source: U.N. sanctions committee

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The just-released British intelligence assessment of Saddam Hussein's weapons programs (which is available at the prime minister's Website (www.officialdocuments.co.uk/document/reps/iraq/ contents.htm))

highlights Iraq's recent procurement successes. In addition to seeking "the supply of significant quantities of uranium from Africa," intelligence shows a pattern on Iraqi purchases of high-tech gear specially adapted for a revived nuclear-weapons program which the sanctions were unable to stop. According to British intelligence, these purchases include:

- \* vacuum pumps that "could be used ... in a gas-centrifuge cascade needed to enrich uranium";
- \* "an entire magnet-production line ... for use in the motors and top bearings of gas centrifuges";
- \* anhydrous hydrogen fluoride and fluoride gas, both of which are required for "converting uranium into uranium hexafluoride for use in gas-centrifuge cascades";
- \* a large filament-winding machine "which could be used to manufacture carbon-fiber gas-centrifuge rotors," and a large balancing machine needed for the "initial centrifuge-balancing work":
- \* "repeated attempts covertly to acquire a very large quantity (60,000 or more) of specialized aluminum tubes" of the specification needed for gas centrifuges to enrich uranium.

Added to this, the British report says intelligence "has confirmed that Iraq wants to extend the range of its missile systems to more than 1,000 kilometers (620 miles), enabling it to threaten other regional neighbors," and can now produce biological-warfare agents using "mobile laboratories."

In presenting the Joint Intelligence Committee assessment-the first of its kind to be released to the public--Prime Minister Tony Blair emphasized that "Iraq is preparing plans to conceal evidence of these weapons, including documents, from renewed inspections," explaining the cynicism with which Saddam's promises to allow U.N. weapons inspectors back into Iraq has been greeted in Washington and London.--KRT

Recent intelligence information revealing dramatic progress in Iraq's nuclear-weapons program has given a new urgency to U.S. and British efforts to build international support for war with Iraq, according to Iraqi opposition leaders interviewed by INSIGHT in London.

The information, from recent defectors and other sources working with the broad-based Iraqi National Congress (INC), indicates that Baghdad has made "a recent breakthrough" in production of the fissile material needed to produce the bomb. It was buttressed on Sept. 24 when the British government released an "unprecedented" white paper based in part on classified intelligence information on Iraq's weapons of mass destruction programs. As U.N. inspectors ultimately discovered after several years of investigations in Iraq, the lack of nuclear-weapons materials was the only obstacle that blocked Iraq from joining the nuclear club before the Persian Gulf War in 1991. It remains so today.

The warnings from the opposition INC coincide with new assessments of Iraqi weapons programs from independent think tanks. "If Iraq were to acquire material from another country, it is possible that it could assemble a nuclear weapon in months," the Carnegie Endowment in Washington concluded in a recent report.

Former Clinton national-security official Gary Samore is more circumspect in a just completed "net assessment" of Iraq's weapons programs for the International Institute for Strategic Affairs in London. While he agrees that Iraq rapidly could assemble a weapon with fissile material from abroad, he doubts Iraq can produce special nuclear material on its own. "That will take much longer, with a relatively higher risk of detection than for chemical- or biological-weapons production," he tells INSIGHT.

But the think tanks also admit that they are just guessing. For the last four years there have been no international weapons inspectors in Baghdad. The only hard information on Iraqi weapons programs has come from Iraqi defectors and from U.S. national-technical means, including spy satellites and overflights of Iraq by combat air patrols. The U.S. intelligence

community has all but admitted publicly that it has no human sources in Iraq.

"We know that Saddam Hussein pursued weapons of mass murder even when inspectors were in the country," President George W. Bush reminded the United Nations on Sept. 12. "Are we to assume that he stopped when they left?" To credit this regime's good faith is "to bet the lives of millions and the peace of the world in a reckless gamble."

A former senior Iraqi intelligence officer tells INSIGHT that information obtained by the INC during the last few months indicates "Iraq has made significant progress recently in uranium enrichment." That conclusion is based on Iraqi purchases of specialized magnets from Germany and aluminum tubes for enrichment centrifuges from South Africa, as well as firsthand reports from defectors and sources in place who have visited new clandestine nuclear- and biological-weapons production sites during the last 18 months. Among those clandestine sites are several new uraniumenrichment plants, INC says. "Iraq is no longer using large, easy-to-spot facilities, but small-scale production plants that fit in small areas," a senior INC official says. According to INSIGHT sources, Iragi engineers are miniaturizing the bomb design to make it fit onto a missile, using modeling software and fast new computers recently imported through Dubai, and actively enriching uranium using centrifuges and gaseousdiffusion membranes.

"Yes, there is a new urgency," says Ahmed Chalabi, a member of the six-man INC leadership committee in London. "We see an acceleration of these programs that shows Saddam is hellbent on acquiring fissile material not just to build one bomb, but to have a stockpile of weapons," he tells INSIGHT.

The Iraqi regime is turning increasingly to South Africa to procure nuclear materials and forbidden equipment needed for its weapons programs, INC sources tell INSIGHT. A top Iraqi intelligence official, Nadhim Jabouri, has been dispatched to the Iraqi embassy in Johannesburg to handle contacts with South African nuclear engineers. He also is in touch with Armscor, the state armaments directorate (also known as Denel), which supplied Iraq with advanced 155 mm howitzers during the Iran-Iraq war.

To grease the skids and arrange travel documents, Iraqi procurement agents operating in Amman, Jordan, go through the first secretary of the South African embassy, Shoeman du Plessis. The willingness of the South African government to sell nuclear material and weapons to Iraq, and their fear of getting caught, could explain the virulent outburst by former South African president Nelson Mandela, who told Newsweek recently that the U.S.--not Saddam Hussein--presents "a threat to world peace."

The credibility of the INC information was given a new boost in a White House report issued to buttress the president's U.N. speech. The section on Iraqi weapons programs began by citing Adnan Saeed al-Haideri, an Iraqi specialist who visited scores of clandestine weapons sites before defecting to the INC in November 2001. Al-Haideri had become Iraq's top authority in specialized epoxies used to seal minute cracks in concrete structures and clean rooms to prevent leaks that could give away their location. His skills made him an essential partner of Iraq's Special Security Organization, which used him to hide mini-production labs and storage facilities in private houses and other sites across Iraq.

When the CIA debriefed him in December 2001, al-Haideri identified 300 separate clandestine sites used by Iraq to hide biological and chemical weapons and nuclear materials. Some of the equipment was hidden in lead containers stored in fake

wells lined with concrete. Al-Haideri said he was called in to seal cracks in the concrete because the Iraqis feared U.S. surveillance satellites would pick up the slightest radioactive emissions.

Al-Haideri's access to Iraq's best-kept secrets provided the United States with a "motherlode of intelligence," one source familiar with his debriefing tells INSIGHT. Iraq is so worried about what he told the CIA that a senior official took reporters in early August to a Baghdad site he claimed al-Haideri had identified as a biological-weapons production plant. Instead, the official claimed, it was a "livestock vaccination laboratory." Reporters were shown abandoned monitoring cameras installed by the United Nations. Dust-covered equipment and bottles littered the floor. Pointing to this "evidence," their Iraqi escort claimed that al-Haideri "is lying to the CIR" and was "motivated by our enemies."

Early this spring, intelligence analysts in Washington monitoring the progress of Iraq's nuclear-weapons programs were stunned when they discovered plans by a known Iraqi procurement front, al-Wasel & Babel, to purchase large quantities of special aluminum tubes for uranium-enrichment centrifuges. The procurement had been spread over a 14-month period, beginning in mid-2001.

The involvement of al-Wasel & Babel set off alarm bells. "This is a known front for the Iraqi intelligence services and their parallel procurement network controlled by Saddam Hussein's son Qusay," the former intelligence officer says. Some shipments quietly were intercepted en mute to Iraq, but a large number of the tubes slipped through, according to intelligence sources. Using these special aluminum tubes, Iraq now is believed to be operating a miniature uranium-enrichment "cascade" at a clandestine location, hermetically sealed to prevent telltale emissions.

Al-Wasel & Babel is a joint venture between the Lootah group in Dubai and the Rawame family, an Iraqi clan with dose ties to Saddam Hussein, that operates primarily out of Jordan. Their agent in Baghdad, Jamil al Hajaj, hand-delivers tasking messages from the regime to procurement agents operating outside of Iraq. Al-Wasel & Babel previously has been identified by U.S. intelligence as a conduit for clandestine purchases of Japanese fiber-optic cable through China. When INSIGHT called the group's commercial manager in the city of Dubai in the United Arab Emirates, a Pakistani named Sabr Montaz al-Qoreishi, we were told that al-Hajaj was arriving from Baghdad on Sept. 14.

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The public professional and political connections of Kenneth R.Timmerman are similarly suggestive. The online news service, *The Newshoggers*, informs the reader that:

"Mr. Timmerman is also Executive Director of the Foundation for Democracy in Iran, an organization which he co-founded with PNAC founding member Peter Rodman, who is currently United States Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs and some prominent Iranian dissident figures. As such, you might expect (and you would be right to do so) that this Foundation has the ear of the Bush administration, GOP members on the Hill and

prominent neoconservative thinkers. The Foundation has a distinctly secular bent, unsurprising given Mr. Timmerman's negative opinions of the Islam in that country, and is dedicated to assisting regime change in Iran."

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More surprising, perhaps – and not mentioned in any official bio – is his presence on the Advisory Board of the Jewish Institute for National Security Affairs (JINSA) – an honor he currently shares with Rep. Eric Cantor, Michael Ledeen, Jack Kemp and Richard Perle. Past Board members include Vice President Dick Cheney, US ambassador to the United Nations John Bolton, and Undersecretary of Defense for Policy Douglas Feith.

A heady and powerful grouping. JINSA, it has been alleged, is closely allied to neoconservative advocates of pre-emptive regime change and to the AIPAC group which is currently embroiled in a spying scandal.

"It appears, then, that Mr. Timmerman and his Foundation for Democracy in Iran are very well placed indeed to gain a great measure of influence and power should the US institute force regime change in Iran. Iranian members of his organization could reasonably expect high political office as appointees of any occupation authority in the same way that Ahmed Chalabi and Iyad Allawi were in Iraq. The parallels are obvious – providing shaky evidence and allegations of a WMD program to help foment a war that catapults them into political office."

And Mr. Timmerman's war will foment the deaths of thousands of innocent Iranians and apocalyptic blowback against the United States worldwide. This is apparently what the American and Israeli governments have militarily planned via CONPLAN 8022, along with the support of both the CIA and the Mossad for regional separatist groups operating within Iranian borders, in Azerbaijan, Kurdistan, Khuzestan, and Balochistan.

There is one other significant item to report. I am informed by a former seasoned covert operative in the Central Intelligence Agency's Directorate of Operations that Kenneth R. Timmerman was once "the editor of a Mossad-financed newsletter based in Paris, France." Paris, France, as previously mentioned, was the recent venue of the "Iran Solidarity Conference."

Coincidence? The report in my possession has also been personally corroborated by **Philip Giraldi** of Pat Buchanan's The American Conservative.

True Iranian patriots who have their own reasons for wanting regime change in Iran, like **Shirin Neshat** of **Sarbazan**, beware.

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## **Creating Fear is Big Business**



 the state of FEAR-OF-FEAR causes psychosomatic stress that can kill, especially when individuals are encouraged to pop a magic pill to overcome any anxious moment that life brings with it.

Now some Birthday Celebrations with nonsense from a Holocaust Believer ...

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Subject: Prof. Robert Faurisson - 83

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## 25 janvier 2012 – 25 January 2012 – 25. Januar 2012

# Bon anniversaire! Happy Birthday! Herzlichen Glückwunsch zum Geburtstag!

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Der Film "Ein Mann", in voller Länge/ full length film - 92 Minuten:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y2Xac42L4Bg

**Gruß AvL** 

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From: toben@toben.biz

Subject: FW: Prof. Robert Faurisson - 83 Date: Wed, 25 Jan 2012 18:48:47 +1030

## **Congratulations Professor Robert Faurisson!**

... and you are still awaiting a response to your challenge:
Show me or draw me the homicidal gas chambers at Auschwitz!

From: Per Nordin [mailto:pernordin86@hotmail.com]

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Subject: RE: Prof. Robert Faurisson - 83: Chutzpah Congratulations!

Hello, I saw that Dr. Lindtner has written about this, here:

http://holocaustdenialischutzpah.blogspot.com/2012/01/chutzpah-congratulations.html

Any comments? Best regards, Per Nordin

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### Chutzpah Congratulations! Lindtner's reply to Dr. Töben:

Dr. Töben seems to have a short memory: I have - more than once - offered to show a drawing or even a photo of a Nazi gas chamber to Robert Faurisson and to the public.

But first RF has to answer a few questions concerning the Holocaust.

Time has shown that RF does not want to answer these rather simple questions. Nor has Dr. Töben or any other "denier" been able to answer any of these questions - to be found on the blog:

http://holocaustdenialischutzpah.blogspot.com/2011/10/professor-faurisson-needs-your-help.html.

http://holocaustdenialischutzpah.blogspot.com/2011/10/dr-toben-also-needs-your-help.html

From this one can conclude that the challenge of RF is mere chutzpah.

Dr. Christian Lindtner. Upplagd av Holocaust Denial

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From: Fredrick Toben toben@toben.biz
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Subject: RE: Prof. Robert Faurisson - 83: Chutzpah Congratulations!

Mr Nordin – Dr Lindtner has lost it by adopting a name-calling approach to serious work – sad, sad...such dialectic lacks seriousness and it follows the Talmudic win-lose approach rather than seeking clarifications....

Fredrick Töben.

Also Happy Birthday celebrations to: Günter Deckert - 9 January; Horst Mahler - 23 January, 76 years.

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